

Advertisements sent in for publication by 8 o'clock Thursday morning to insure their appearance in Friday's paper.

JOB WORK.
The Courier Office is now thoroughly furnished with new Job Type; also, a full supply of Letter, Note and Bill Head Papers, Cards, etc., and can do work in the neatest style and at city prices.

WANTED.—We want the local news of your vicinity, such as births, marriages, deaths, improvements, state of crops, etc., or a good crop of cotton or corn, let us know it.

Local News.
The colored Baptist Association of this district is to hold its next annual session at Hickman.

Some prominent citizens are freely canvassing Dr. J. H. Plaut's name for the Legislature. He is a good man, and would make a good representative.

The boys are preparing for a tough little fight over the municipal election. Let peace, courtesy and personal friendship prevail.

The average of wheat in this section is said to be 10 per cent. over last year.

Palton is out of debt, and has some surplus means in the treasury. The poll tax has been reduced in consequence.

A train on the N. & W. Railroad, Saturday last, had the boiler completely dented down an embankment some 15 feet, wounding several night passengers.

Capt. W. B. Porter, some years ago the owner of a saw mill, near Hickman, is one of the numerous members to the Louisiana Legislature.

The City Council Tuesday night elected H. A. Tyler, Mayor, to fill the unexpired term of J. H. Davis, deceased. A good selection, and one that will give general satisfaction.

The citizens meeting Saturday night, presented the following memorial to the Mayor:—

Councilmen:—W. H. Porter, J. C. Bondurant, W. B. Plummer, James W. Curran, S. N. White and J. L. Gardner.

Our city government has been engaged in several good improvements. The city wharf has been nicely graveled—which is a decided improvement. The West Hickman levee is now being graveled.

Some young ladies and gentlemen have organized a literary and musical society which meets every Monday night. It is quite an improving adjunct to Hickman society, and more should join it.

The enterprise of a steam ferry from Hickman to certain points in the river will not be accomplished this winter. Every body wants it, but the fee is too high.

No wonder the intense excitement which characterizes the ward politicians.

Where there is a continual drop plug down into the back of the month, with irritation and inflammation of the nasal cavities and throat, with hacking, spitting and a sense of fullness about the head, be sure you are suffering from a cold.

You are nine times out of ten suffering from a cold. The remedy is "go to work."

Some of our exchanges are ungenerously referring to the Fulton Fair as a "deceiving institution." Mark that! It is only seeking to strengthen itself. It will prove the liveliest affair next year in the history of Fairs. Mark that! Fulton is getting her pride and ambition fairly aroused.

The building of a railroad into New Madrid has stimulated the people here. Hickman and that point to discuss the idea of a connecting link between the two points. It is believed by many that our railroad will reach out for this connection next spring. The old levee and railroad charter will be in jeopardy.

The public generally, especially the tobacco farmers, will feel pleased at the efforts of Bondurant & Drewry, to establish tobacco sales at Hickman. The market at this point is needed, and does a recognize it. All that is needed, is an earnest, energetic effort, and a splendid market is the result. It is something that will do the business interest of Hickman more good, and hence one and all should lend a friendly assistance.

A splendid lot of Northern Apples, for sale, at dees BONDURANT & DREWRY'S.

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY.—The Auction sale of the large stock of goods of J. H. Davis, deceased, commences tomorrow. This stock embraces books, groceries, hardware, queensware, pictures, picture frames, and many other articles, and various and sundry classes of goods too numerous to mention. The attention of merchants is invited to this stock, as it is composed of many articles in large quantities and they will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. The ladies especially would do well to attend, as there are many articles to suit housekeepers, which will be sold at a bargain.

Terms of Sale.—All sums amounting to \$5 or more, cash; over \$5, on 12 months credit, good security, etc.

Prizes.—Prizes:—Wm. Frenz, has received a splendid selection of books, chromos, and all kinds of goods suitable for Christmas and New Year presents. A most beautiful assortment of chromos, will be awarded to purchasers during the month of December. The prize chromos are divided into three series, viz: These having \$5 at one time, each, will be entitled to one of the chromos in the first series; those having \$3 worth to one in the second series; those having \$1 worth to one in the third series. There is to be no blanks. Every purchaser will receive a chromo.

The goods are to be bought during the present month. Specimens of the prize chromos to be seen at the store.

Notice to Country Dealers!
We are prepared to fill orders for any kind of goods in our line at regular wholesale rates. Orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Wanted!
Cotton, Corn, Wheat, Hides, feathers, Wool, Dried Fruit, Beans, Tallow, Peas, in large or small quantities. The highest market prices for Cash.

J. H. PLAUT & BRO.
October 6, 1876.

STILL AHEAD!

BY A LARGE MAJORITY!

J. H. PLAUT & Bro.

OFFERS THEIR IMMENSE

Stock of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS,

AND

Furnishing Goods,

At Astonishingly Low Prices.

The most desirable and complete stock

placed on this market. The following

low prices are the order of the day:

DRY GOODS:

HEAVY BROWN DOMESTIC, at 10 cents

per yard;

FINE SKY ISLAND DOMESTIC, yard

at 10 cents per yard;

COTTON RAYING, 12 cents per yard;

COTTON LINGINS, 4 cents per yard;

COTTON GINGHAMS, 10 cents per yard;

worth 12 cents;

COTTON AND CUCKORY SHIRTING,

10 cents per yard;

2,000 yards Plain Linings at 15, 20 and

25 cents per yard;

1,000 yards Heavy Grey Twilled Flannel,

at 25 cents per yard;

White Linen, for underwear, at 25, 30,

and 35 cents;

Extra Heavy White Shaker Flannel, at

50 cents per yard;

500 Pair Heavy Grey, (all wool) Blue,

at 75 cents or \$1.50 per pair;

100 pair Large and Heavy White Blankets,

at 75 cents per pair;

100 pair Heavy Grey, very long;

Balmain and Fair Shirts, cheaper than

elsewhere;

Misses and Breakfast Shirts, at 25, 30

and 35 cents;

3,000 Yards Blue and Grey, 20 per

cent, below present value;

1,000 Yards Heavy Cotton Sacks, at 25

cents;

An endless variety of white, plain and

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CITIZEN'S Meeting.

Purview to published call, a number

of citizens assembled at City Hall, Satur-

day morning last.

The meeting was organized by electing

Dr. W. H. Corbett, Chairman, and Jno.

W. Corbett, Secretary.

The object of the meeting was stated to

be for the consideration of citizens as to

the propriety of nominating a ticket for

Mayor and Councilmen, to properly re-

present the material interest of the town.

Several citizens indulged in remarks as

to the propriety of conducting city

affairs, the reluctance of city ex-

penditures, the necessity of improving the

main thoroughfares, etc., which were

generally approved.

A motion then prevailed that the meet-

ing proceed to select a candidate for

Mayor.

The names of Jno. A. Wilson, Geo. B.

Fraser, Chas. Ritzer, C. L. Randle, and

Geo. Warren, were put in nomination.

C. L. Randle and Geo. Warren, begged

that their names be withdrawn, which

was done.

The ballot box proceeded with the

election of Jno. A. Wilson; and

after the election, was made unanimous,

with no dissenting voices.

The meeting then proceeded to select a

ticket for Councilmen, which after

numerous nominations and repeated ball-

lots, resulted in the choice of the following:

W. D. Powell, J. C. Bondurant,

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Council Proceedings.

HICKMAN KY, Dec. 5, 1876.

Council met at 10 o'clock, and

Harrison, Stenographer, read the

minutes of the preceding meeting read

and adopted.

The chairman of the finance

committee presented the following ac-

count as correct and recommended their

payment.

Tyler and Harrison for chairs, \$24.00;

P. Harness & Co. for furniture, \$27.00;

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